## **PROCLAMATION**

BY THE

## Covernor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

June 17, 1977

As provided under the provisions of Section 14, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, I disapprove of H.B. 371 and am filing same with the Secretary of State setting forth the following objections:

I disapprove of House Bill No. 371, which would have increased the amount of exemption from ad valorem taxation of household furniture, because the Legislature made the bill effective only upon adoption of a constitutional amendment. The Legislature did not pass the proposed constitutional amendment, and therefore the bill is of no effect and no purpose would be served by it becoming law.

IN TESTMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of the State of Texas to be affixed hereto at Austin, Texas, this 17th day of June, 1977.

DOLPH BRISCOE

Governor of Texas

MARK WHITE Secretary of State